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Title:

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TWIN CITIES WASHINGTON, DO SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND METHOD FOR

MANUFACTURING THE SAME

Enclosed are the following papers, including those required to receive a filing date under 37 CFR §1.53(b):

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Specification	21
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Enclosures:

- Serial number card (green).
- Preliminary amendment, 8 pages.
- New disclosure information, including:

Information disclosure statement, 1 page.

PTO-1449, 1 page.

References, 8 U.S. References (not submitted) and

3 non-U.S. References (submitted).

- Transmittal of certified copy of priority document no. 2002-377816.
- Assignment cover sheet and an assignment, 3 pages, and a separate \$40 fee.

Under 35 USC 119, this application claims the benefit of a foreign priority application filed in Japan on December 26, 2002, as serial number 2002-377816.

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